

#### Landsat 7 Technical Session

### Backup Charts to Explain:

- 1) Relationship Between Video Time Code and PCD Time Code
- 2) Definition of Interval Header and Trailer
- 3) Impact on Scheduling of Intervals
- 4) Intervals and Subintervals

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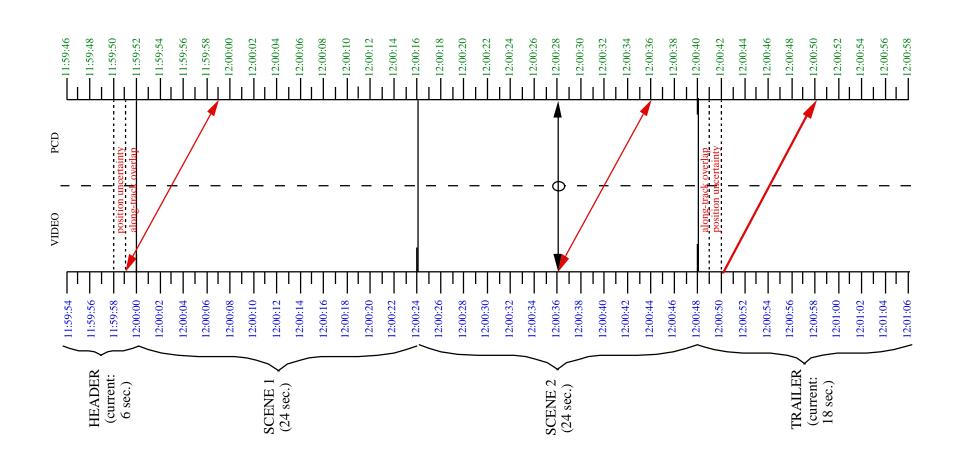


### Telemetry Sampling within the PCD

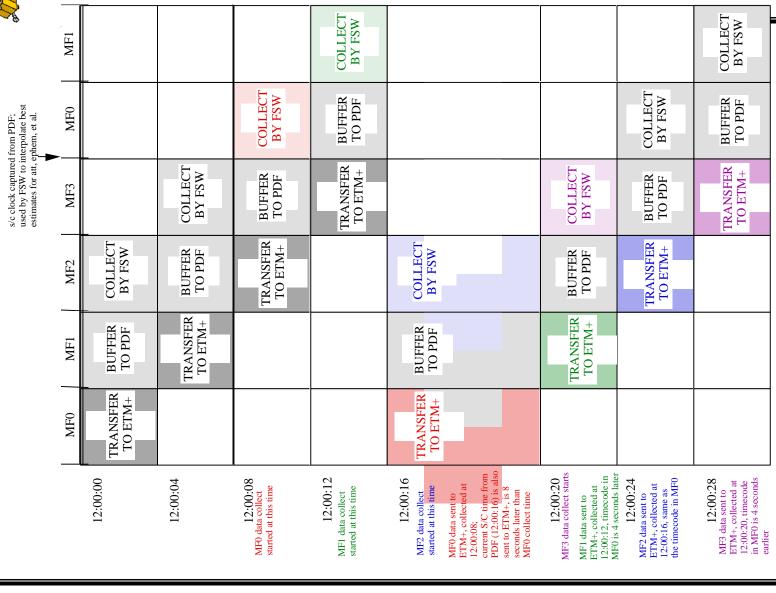
- Within the 75 Mbps data stream, time code in the PCD is 8 seconds behind time code in the video data (see page 3)
  - 8 second delay due to time required by flight software to accumulate the telemetry and transfer it to the ETM+ for insertion in the PCD (see page 4)
  - applies to all telemetry except ADS and gyro values these are inserted into the PCD in realtime by the ETM+
- Some telemetry points are only sampled once per PCD cycle (once every 16 seconds)
  - these include temperature values required for radiometric correction
  - must include additional data at the end of desired interval acquisition in order to get the temperature points corresponding to the last scene in the interval (see page 5)

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## Relationship between Video and PCD Time



#### Flight Software Accumulation of Telemetry for PCD



FSW = Flight Software MF = Major Frame PDF = Payload Data (PCD) Formatter



## Definition of Interval Header and Trailer

- Six seconds of header data added to beginning of interval
  - 1 second for along-track scene overlap for first scene
  - 1 second to account for uncertainty in Scheduler's knowledge of WRS start time
  - 4 seconds to get an additional PCD major frame prior to start of video data to make sure all gyro and ADS values for first scene are included
- Eighteen seconds of trailer data added to end of interval
  - 1 second for along-track scene overlap for last scene
  - 1 second to account for uncertainty in Scheduler's knowledge of WRS start time
  - 16 seconds to get an additional 4 PCD major frames (one PCD cycle) to make sure all temperature values required for radiometric correction of last scene are included



### Impact on Scheduling of Intervals

- Scheduler will calculate data start time as follows:
  - calculate time at scene center of first requested WRS scene
  - backup 12 seconds to get to start of nominal scene
  - backup an additional 6 seconds to get to beginning of header data
  - this is the time assigned as data start time in the schedule
  - AOS will be scheduled 6 seconds before the calculated data start time
- Scheduler will calculate data stop time as follows:
  - calculate time at scene center of last requested WRS scene
  - add 12 seconds to get to end of nominal scene
  - add an additional 18 seconds to get to end of trailer data
  - this is the time assigned as data stop time in the schedule
  - LOS will be scheduled 1 second after the calculated data stop time



#### Intervals and Subintervals

- Interval is composed of continuous scenes along a WRS path acquired during a single ETM+ ON - to - ETM+ OFF period
- Interval: PCD Header = 6 seconds

Acquisitions = 24 seconds per WRS scene

PCD Trailer = 18 seconds

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H = Header

- When an Interval must be broken into pieces, each piece is called a Subinterval.
- Reasons for creating Subintervals:
  - loss of sync during processing to L0R
  - not enough time within contact to bring down full Interval from recorder (applies to US only)
- Subinterval: PCD Header = 6 seconds

Acquisitions = 24 seconds per WRS scene

PCD Trailer = 18 seconds

